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THE BRITISH ELECTIONS.

The Unionists Are Carrying Everything—Harcourt Defeated in Derby.

Indications of an Overwhelming Unionist Majority in the Next House.

London, July 15.—The elections practically commenced on Friday with the return of 36 unopposed candidates, including 30 Conservatives, 3 Liberals and 3 Parnellites. Among the unopposed members elected were Right Hon. Geo. J. Goschen, Unionist, representing St. George's, Hanover Square, London; Mr. John Henniker Heaton, progressive Conservative, who represents Canterbury, and Right Hon. A. J. Mundella, advanced Liberal, representative of Brightside division, Sheffield.

The following returns are announced:

Northwest Manchester, Sir W. H. Houldsworth, Conservative, re-elected by a vote of 4,907 to 3,526 votes cast for Mr. T. F. Birne, Radical, a majority of 1,471. At the last election Sir Houldsworth was returned without opposition.

East Manchester, the Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, the new first lord of the treasury, was re-elected by a vote of 5,386 to 4,610 for Prof. J. E. C. Munroe, Liberal, a majority of 776. At the last election the Conservative majority was 389.

Southwest Manchester, W. J. Galloway, Conservative, was elected by a vote of 3,904 to 3,406 votes for J. M. Asbury, Liberal, a majority of 498. At the last election the majority was 148.

Northeast Manchester, the Right Hon. Sir J. Ferguson, Conservative, was elected by a vote of 3,961 to 3,720 votes for E. Holt, Liberal, a majority of 241. At the last election the Conservative majority was 110. The Right Hon. Sir J. Ferguson was postmaster-general from 1891 to August, 1892. He sat for Northeast Manchester since 1885.

North Manchester, C. E. Schwann, Liberal, was re-elected by a vote of 4,327 to 3,872 votes for A. H. Morton, Conservative, a majority of 455. At the last election the Liberal majority was 351.

South Manchester, the Right Hon. Marquis of Lorne, Unionist, was elected by a vote of 4,457 to 4,379 votes for Sir H. E. Roscoe, Radical, a majority of 78. At the last election Sir Roscoe, the Radical candidate, received a majority of 181.

Grantham, H. Y. B. Lopez, Conservative, was re-elected by a vote of 1,507 to 1,167 votes for S. D. Waddy, Liberal, a majority of 340. At the last election the Conservative majority was 33.

In Exeter, Sir S. Northcote, Conservative, re-elected.

In North Salford, Platt Higgins, Conservative, was elected by a majority of six over W. H. Holland, Liberal, the sitting member. At the last election the Liberal majority was 287.

In West Salford, Lee Knowles, Conservative, re-elected.

In South Salford, Sir H. H. Howerth, Conservative, re-elected.

In Lincoln, C. H. Seeley, Conservative.

In Perth, Scotland, R. Wallace, Liberal.

In Barrow-in-Furness, C. W. Cadacer, Conservative, re-elected.

In Darlington, A. Pease, Conservative.

In Chatham, H. D. Davis, Conservative.

In Derby, H. Bell Rose, Conservative, and G. Drake, Conservative, defeated the two sitting Liberal members, Sir William Vernon Harcourt and Sir T. Rose. At the last election Sir William Vernon Harcourt, who was the former Liberal chancellor of the exchequer, received a plurality of 1,961 over the leading candidate of the Conservatives, and Sir T. Rose received a plurality of 2,026.

In Stockpoint, G. W. Whitley, Conservative, and Mr. B. Melville, Conservative.

In York, J. G. Butcher, Conservative, and Sir F. Lockwood, Liberal, re-elected.

In Christ Church, Mr. A. H. Smith, Conservative.

In Leicester, B. Broadhurst, Liberal, and Mr. W. Halsell, Liberal, re-elected.

New York, July 13.—The World's London cablegram says: There were twenty-two contested elections in England today, and the returns at midnight show that the Unionists have gained eight seats, in proportion more than one-third. This indicates an overwhelming Unionist majority in the next house. The most astonishing fact is the defeat of Sir William Vernon Harcourt in Derby, regarded heretofore as the very heart of Liberal England. There can be no doubt it is due to Harcourt's veto bill. The keepers of public houses, otherwise our barkeepers, united their following with the Tories, the church party and the anti-Irish people.

The crusade against the house of lords is relegated to the dimmest future. As to home rule for Ireland, the coalition government can do what it likes. It looks as if they would have a majority sufficient to make them entirely independent of the Irish vote, so that the old Parnell tactics of obstruction will be of no avail in the next house. The papers have almost daily accounts of ruffianism in one election district or another in England, in contrast to the general peace in Ireland.

The result, so far, including those returned unopposed, is 90 Conservatives, 14 Liberals and 3 Parnellites. The Liberals lose eight seats and gain one.

Sir William and Lady Harcourt, while returning from a political meeting last week in a carriage, were vigorously pelted with cabbage stalks and rubbish while passing through a rough suburb of Derby. They were both hit, but uninjured. Lady Harcourt was literally covered with dirt and filth, which besmeared her garments and went down her back.

Voting to-day is going on in 50 districts, including London.

The Rt. Hon. George N. Curzon, Conservative under secretary for foreign affairs, and Sir H. S. Naylor-Leyland, Bart., Liberal, have been nominated for the Southport division of Lancashire. In this constituency both sides are contesting every inch of ground, and the American wives of the nominees are joining in the fray. Mrs. Curzon generally gets more cheers than her husband, while Lady Naylor-Leyland's beauty has excited enthusiasm wherever she has gone. Sir Leyland has recently developed an interest in local sports. He has become president of the cycling club and drives about in a gorgeous carriage lined with red trappings, drawn by four horses and accompanied by two postilions dressed in red.

Unionist candidates for the following seats have been returned without opposition:

Somerset West or Wellington division, Captain Sir A. Ackland Hood, Bart.

Bridgewater division, E. J. Stanley.

Devonshire East or Honiton division, Sir J. Kennaway, Bart.

Kent West or Seven Oaks division, H. W. Foster.

South division, L. Hardy.

Isle of Thanet division, Rt. Hon. J. Lowther.

Cheshire, Knutsford division, Hon. A. De Tatton.

Egerton, Worcester East division, J. A. Chamberlain.

Surrey, Northeast or Wimbleton division, H. C. Bonesetter.

Essex West or Epping division, Lieut. Col. A. R. Lockwood.

Nottinghamshire, Newark division, Hon. H. Finch.

Hatton, Dorset East division, Hon. H. N. Stuart.

Gloucestershire North or Tewksbury division, Sir J. E. Dorington, Bart.

Staffordshire, Handsworth division, Sir H. M. Thompson, Bart.

Middlesex, Bridge division, Sir F. Dixon Hartland, Bart.

Hampshire South or Fareham division,

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Thursday, July 25, 1895
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The balance of his

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A STREET CAR COLLISION

A Toronto Car Crowded With Merry Children Smashed to Pieces.

A Heartrending Scene—Guarding the Hospital to Restrain the Crowd.

Toronto, July 15.—On Saturday afternoon a car of the Toronto electric service, with a trailer attached, started with a joyous load of the pupils of the Sackville street Mission Hall, accompanied by their teachers, bent on having a merry outing at Victoria park, on the lake about seven miles east of the city. On approaching Scarboro Junction, motorman Graham was horrified to see Lalla Rooke, the Scarboro car, coming down a steep grade at a terrible rate. He at once reversed his motor, but not in time to prevent a fearful crash; both cars were broken into kindling wood, and the road was covered with bleeding children, and their cries for help were heartrendering. Doctors were quickly on the spot, and two lads, Stewart and Graham, removed to the hospital, the former dying almost immediately on reaching the institution. The children were taken into neighboring houses and received prompt medical attention, and were nearly all removed in a few hours to their homes, and it is confidently hoped that no further deaths will result. When the first news of the accident was received in the city the most intense excitement prevailed, and a special squad of police had to be sent to the general hospital to prevent the crowd forcing their way in to ascertain who were injured. A number of bicycle riders happened to be passing along the road at the time of the accident, and they did good service in riding for doctors and giving information to the police and taking messages to the parents of the little sufferers.

Frank Townsend, aged 13, has his left leg broken and his right cut, and his condition is serious. Miss Nettie Lamb is suffering from internal injuries and it is feared that she cannot recover. Motorman W. J. Graham has both legs broken below the knee and a double amputation will be required. Con Northam has injuries about the head and face, and R. H. Dun, accountant of the Toronto type foundary, is suffering from internal injuries.

ASHORE AT BELLE ISLE.

Steamer Mexico, with a Cargo Valued at $300,000, Ashore.

Montreal, July 15.—The steamship Assaye passed Father Point yesterday with a part of the crew of the wrecked steamship Mexico on board. Private dispatches received here state that the Mexico, bound from Montreal to Bristol with a general cargo and live stock and produce, went ashore on Belle Isle at the outer entrance to the straits on July 7th at 5 p.m., during a dense fog. Her bow is high up on the rocks and her stern is ten feet under water. Captain Daly and eight men remain beside the wreck, the remainder of the crew taking passage on the inward bound steamer Assaye, which brought the first tidings of the disaster. The Mexico is in a very exposed position and will probably prove a total wreck. Before her departure from Montreal the Mexico was fitted up with cold storage apartments for experimenting in shipments of produce to England. From the marine underwriters it is learned that the cargo of the Mexico was comprised principally of cattle, sheep, cheese, flour, wheat and lumber and valued at over $300,000. The steamer is owned by Elder, Dempster & Co., of London, and is valued at $175,000, making a total loss of about half a million dollars. All losses are fully covered by insurance.

BANQUE DU PEUPLE SUSPENDS.

A Leading French Canadian Bank Closes Its Books.

Montreal, July 15.—La Banque du Peuple, the leading French Canadian bank in Canada, has suspended payment.

CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

Winnipeg, Man., July 15.—The provincial exhibition opens to-day and promises to eclipse anything of the kind in former years. The entries are far in excess of last year.

Smith's Falls, Ont., July 15.—A man named Wesley Griffin, residing near Brockville, was run over and killed on the railway track near here. His remains were found scattered along the track and must have been tossed back and forth by the four trains which passed through during the night.

Winnipeg, Man., July 15.—The three-year old daughter of Thomas Polson was run over by an electric car on Saturday and killed.

Halifax, N.S., July 15.—The Rev. W. McCulloch, D.D., pastor of Emeritus First Presbyterian church, Truro, died yesterday, aged 84 years.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

THE GHASTLY HEAD HUNT

Crew of a Sydney Cutter Murdered by Solomon Island Head Hunters.

Collision in Sydney Harbor—New South Wales Guards Immigration.

The steamship Miowera brought Australian advices to June 22. The Sydney Herald of Saturday, June 22, has the following:

"Two other names have been added to the long list of victims who have lost their lives at the treacherous hands of the Solomon Island natives. The news came by the direct steamer Kelloe that last Saturday arrived here. Capt. John Williams thus briefly relates what occurred:—Two traders from Sydney named respectively, D. Kerr and S. Smith are missing under circumstances that leave little doubt that they have met their death at the hands of the head-hunters. Mr. N. Wheatley, who is a trader at Rubiana, came on board the Kelloe and informed Capt. Williams that Kerr and Smith sailed from Rubiana on the 12th of April in their little cutter, the Amelia, on a short trip through the Blanche channel and adjacent islands. Not returning within a week or two as arranged, foul play was suspected, and in the latter part of May Mr. Wheatley, who had been out searching for them, picked up in the Blanche channel some wreckage, part of a deck-house, and some hatches. Knowing the Amelia well, he had no difficulty in identifying the wreckage, and afterwards instituted inquiries amongst the natives. From the latter he learned that weeks before a raid had been made by head-hunters from Rendova Island by the Lur-Conga men, and that during the raid the traders were met with and dispatched without having a chance to escape. The natives who gave the information could not say whether the Amelia was stranded on a reef when the massacre took place, but from what Mr. Wheatley gathered he believes that after successfully attacking the Amelia and securing two heads, the Rendova pirates looted the vessel and then sent her adrift, with a view of her smashing up and so leave no trace of her fate. Captain Guy, it may be remembered, met his death in the same locality a year or so ago. Kerr and Smith had purchased the Amelia only about six months since, and were engaged in collecting copra to ship to the Sydney market. Capt. Williams further states that head-hunting is on the increase in this part of the islands. The traders informed him that over 20 men were then absent from Rubiana following up their favorite pastime, and that it was time something was done to put a stop to this kind of amusement. They prefer this skirmishing around and lopping off heads to drying the cocoanut for trade, and they leave Rubiana in large canoes, and visit neighboring islands, prowling about till they see a chance to secure their unfortunate victim—he or she being tomahawked, and the head cut off as a trophy and taken back to Rubiana. If in one of these raids they meet a defenceless white man, he shares a similar fate. The commander in chief is to be approached with regard to these repeated butcheries. His Excellency is at present on an island cruise, the trip including a visit to the Solomon group, and opportunity will, if practicable, be taken by the white men stationed there to have this and other matters investigated.

An Auckland dispatch of June 19 says: News from Samoa says that disquieting reports are again current to the effect that hostilities may break out at any time among the natives. A great meeting was to have taken place on June 13th, when the question of peace or war was to be discussed, but it is regarded as a foregone conclusion that the decision will be in favor of war. It is reported that the rebellion is being encouraged by certain Europeans in the hope that the treaty powers will be compelled to take some measures of more practical benefit to the country than the system of government created by the Berlin treaty.

In the darkness of the morning of Saturday, June 15, just before daybreak, a scene which is not likely to be forgotten by those present was enacted in the harbor. One of the North Shore ferry boats the Cammeray, had but a brief period before left the Milson's Point wharf when loud shouts were heard and the lights of what then seemed to be an enormous steamer with lofty bows were seen in close proximity. The next instant the bows of the Newcastle and Hunter River Company's steamer Sydney were on top of the ferry boat, and sent her timbers and upper gear flying. Such a hit as that, everyone felt, must prove fatal to the smaller and lighter ship, and while the Sydney's bows were still within reach the ferry boat passengers scrambled up and over the bulwarks as fast as they were able, and took refuge on the Sydney. The ferry steamer shortly afterwards settled down, and now lies at the bottom of the harbor. In regard to the number of passengers on board at the time of the accident the statements are somewhat conflicting, but Captain Summerbell states there were about 60. One or two female passengers were present. The Cammeray is a wooden paddle-steamer, 180 feet long, 20 feet 8 inches broad, with a depth of 17 feet. She had a gross tonnage of 197 tons, and was net 124 tons. Her engines were 30 h.p., and she was built at Sydney in 1884.

An Auckland dispatch to the Sydney Herald on June 19 says: The Union Company and the Oceanic Company are prepared, if they can obtain a moderate amount of assistance from the Colonial Governments, to construct new boats, suitable not only for the service to San Francisco, but, if necessary, for the extension of the Vancouver service, and of speed sufficient to enable the mails from Auckland to reach London in 28 days.

Mr. Crick's bill to extend the provisions of the Chinese Restriction act to Japanese, Javanese, and Kanakas, was introduced into the New South Wales legislative assembly on June 18, and read a first time.

The Sydney Herald of June 20 gravely announces that the Dominion parliament has resolved to prohibit the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors in Canada, except for scientific and medical purposes, or for use in the sacrament. The prohibition is subject to the opinion of the Privy council as to the legality of the enactment.

At Melbourne on Saturday, June 15, Frederick Villiers was a guest at a monster smoker of the Victoria Artists' Society.

Gold discoveries continue in Western Australia, and the returns from some of the Coolgardie mines developed are simply enormous.

Some But Ayer's at the World's Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the World's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

BADGES OF MATRIMONY.

Women of Various Countries Label Themselves as Wives.

Americans are the only women in the world who do not exhibit some sign of matrimony. Of course those who follow in the wake of European etiquette would not appear with their daughters wearing a hat without strings, but the universal American woman buys what she likes, regardless of whether it be matrimonial or not, and, what is worse, her daughters will select articles of dress only suitable to married women.

In no other country is this the case. Among the Germans the badge of a married woman consists of a little cap or hood of which they are very proud, and "donning the cap" is a feature of the wedding day among the peasants of certain localities. The married women in Little Russia are always seen, even in the hottest weather, with a thick cloth of dark blue twisted about their heads. In New Guinea a young woman lets her hair hang about her shoulders, but when she is married this is cut short. Chinese matrons braid their hair like a helmet. In Wadai the wives color their lips by tatooing them with the thorns of the acacia and rubbing them with iron filings; in parts of Africa the married women perforate the outer edges of their ears and their lips, and stick rows of grass stalks in them; and among a certain Mongolian tribe of people, the Manthes, the women wear, suspended from their ear, a little basket full of cotton, to which a spindle is attached. Thus, in every country, savage or civilized, but our own there is a sign or a symbol of some kind that distinguishes the matron from the spinster.—Chicago Record.

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THE REBUKE CAME QUICKLY.

Joseph Cook Called Down for Insulting Cleveland at Honolulu on July 4.

Mr. Willis Chairman of Meeting Where Cook Spoke, "The Man Who Did."

According to advices received by the steamship Miowera on Saturday the literary exercises at Honolulu on July 4 were the scene of a remarkable incident. Joseph Cook, of Boston, was invited to speak, and entered upon a personal criticism of President Cleveland, charging him with misrepresenting Hawaii and Hawaiian affairs. He was interrupted by Minister Willis, who presided, and after a sharp cross-fire of charge and retort, Cook left the hall amid silence. His action is looked upon as very indiscreet.

Independence Park pavilion was more than crowded for the literary exercises, scheduled for 11 o'clock, with Mr. Willis, the American minister, presiding. He was presented by Geo. W. Smith, chairman of the general committee. This was at 11.30. There was a wait for President Dole. When he entered with Mrs. Dole the audience rose to its feet, and there were cheers. The steamship Monowai, through the courtesy of William Irvine and Co., was held to allow Joseph Cook to address the meeting. In opening the meeting Mr. Willis gracefully gave utterance to patriotic sentiments and was applauded. The invocation was offered in an impressive manner by Rev. D. H. Birnie. All joined in singing "America," the choir leading. In quite complimentary terms Mr. Willis presented Joseph Cook, who was on the programme for an address. Mr. Cook had chosen for his subject, "The Republic of the Tropics." He said nothing of the Fourth of July. He repeated that when the crown fell it was pulverized. He congratulated all that there was no color line or slavery here. The speaker then went into a dissertation on "Southern Republics," as upheld by "what they call Northern principles." Coming quickly to Hawaii, Mr. Cook entered upon almost a direct criticism of the Cleveland administration, arraigning it for misrepresentation, and saying that he would make some corrections.

Here Mr. Willis protested, on the ground that the occasion was not one for a political speech. He was greeted with storms of applause. Mr. Cook, considerably confused, asked for a bill of particulars, and declared that he was not accustomed to either a straitjacket or gag. Mr. Willis replied that the contracted sentiment from a Boston environment was not broad enough for an American celebration in Hawaii. Mr. Cook said Boston had a good deal to do with achieving American independence. Mr. Willis said this was granted, and that all were proud of it. The lecturer quickly concluded his address with a few remarks on annexation. He bade good-by to Mr. Willis and Rev. Dr. Macarthur and left the hall amid silence, clearly mad through and through.

The exchange of words created tremendous excitement among those present, and when the Miowera sailed it was still the one single topic of conversation. After the exercises many citizens advanced to shake the hand of the American minister. He was given an ovation. The levee lasted over half an hour. Rev. D. P. Birnie, Prof. Secretary Dr. McGrew and several other prominent men said they were on the point of interrupting Mr. Cook when Mr. Willis protested.

The Star editorially says the American minister found the opportunity of his lifetime at the 4th of July meeting. The manner in which he conducted himself won golden opinions. Mr. Willis was on all sides commended for his patriotism, courage and calmness. The Star thought there was rather too much feeling shown by the audience against Mr. Cook. But he invited the rebuke, both from the American minister and from those assembled for the literary exercises. Mr. Cook seemed very egotistical. He raised himself to the highest pinnacle of a critic. He assumed that he was judge, jury, phalanx of lawyers and a mass of voters, all in one. Besides that he did not speak of the 4th of July at all. He launched into an argument on the Hawaiian question and an arraignment of the Cleveland administration.

Fifty of the rebel prisoners, all natives, were pardoned on the 4th of July by President Dole. None of the ring leaders were given their freedom. Their sentences were commuted as follows: Sentence of W. H. C. Greig is commuted from twenty years to fifteen years; T. B. Walker, thirty years to fifteen years; Carl Widemann, thirty years to fifteen years; Louis Marshall, twenty years to fifteen years; W. H. Rickard, thirty years to twenty years; R. W. Wilcox, thirty years to twenty years; C. T. Gulick, thirty years to twenty years. The fine of $10,000 in each of the above cases was not commuted.

The supreme court rendered its decision in the Prince Cupid habeas corpus case on July 2. The decision fills twenty-four pages of closely type-written matter. The events of the January revolt are recited at length, and the trial, conviction and sentence of Kalaulanaole to one year's imprisonment and a fine of $1,000. The sole ground upon which the petitioner seeks to gain his liberty is that the military commission was without jurisdiction. The court holds that under article 31 of the constitution, which provides that the president may, in case of rebellion or invasion, or imminent danger thereof, place the whole or any part of the republic under martial law, the president alone is to decide whether the exigency is such as to require martial law, and how long martial law, when proclaimed, shall continue in force; and his decision is not subject to review by the courts. The court finds that notwithstanding the reservation in the proclamation of martial law that the civil courts would continue to conduct ordinary business, a person may, if necessary, in the opinion of the president, be tried by a military commission. The prince was returned to jail to serve his time.

The steam yacht Eleanor arrived here on June 30, fourteen days from Yokohama, with her owner, J. W. Slater, and a party on board. The yacht is due at San Francisco on July 21.

The ship Manuel Dagnno left the same day for New York with 2,000 tons of sugar.

—To be free from indigestion, cheerful and hearty, use Adams' Tutti Frutti. Decline to take imitations.

AUCTION SALES.

JOSHUA DAVIES
AUCTIONEER.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.

I have been instructed by the Mortgagees to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at 11 o'clock a.m., on

THURSDAY, July 18, 1895

The Goods and Chattels, the contents of the

TELEGRAPH HOTEL,

Comprising the Furniture and Furnishings of 50 bedrooms, Bar Fixtures, Liquors, Glassware, Cash Register, Safe, Dining Room Furniture and Fixtures, Crockery, Kitchen Range and Utensils, etc., etc.

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TERMS CASH.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
Auctioneer.

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JOSHUA DAVIES
AUCTIONEER

Mortgagee's Sale.

I am instructed to sell by public auction on Saturday, July 20th, at 12 o'clock, at salesroom, Bastion square, all that piece or parcel of land known as Lot 8, Block 34, city and suburbs of New Westminster, and the southwest quarter of Section 6, Township 15, east of Coast Meridian, New Westminster District, containing 160 acres (more or less), owned by R. W. Armstrong. Also Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Block 332, City of Vancouver, and part of District Lot 526, owned by Angus G. Boggs.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Land Registry Act.

Lot 3, Block XVI; lot 25, block XVIII; lot 12, block XIX; lots 13 and 25, block XX; lot 17, block XXX; lots 20 and 38, block XXXI; lot 26, block XXXIV lot 1, block XXXV; lot 4, block XXXVII; lots 2 and 20, block XXXIX; the easterly 2-3 of lot 21, block XL; lot 13, block XLVIII; lot 2, block LI; lot 7, block LII; part of district lot 185, in the city of Vancouver.

A certificate of indefeasible title to the above lots will be issued to James Charles Prevost, guardian of the estate of Ernest Wilfred Pratt, otherwise known as Ernest Pratt, on the 28th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming the estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

T. O TOWNLEY,
District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Vancouver, 24th June, 1895. 3m.

Land Registry Act.

In the Matter of the Application of Peter Steele for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the following portions of Sections XXXII and XXXII., Esquimalt District, viz.:

All that piece or parcel of land forming a portion of Section XXXII., Esquimalt District, together known as Lots 20 and 21, according to a survey and plan made by R. Homfray, C. E., and more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at the N. E. corner of said section, thence running westerly along the northern boundary of said section 2491 links, thence south 475 links, thence easterly to the eastern boundary of said section, 351 links; thence northward along the said boundary to the point of beginning, 562 links.

Also that piece or parcel of land known as Buckley's Orchard, and forming a portion of Section XXXI, Esquimalt District, more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at a point on the northern boundary of the said section 14 feet six inches distant from the N. E. corner of before mentioned Section XXXII., thence running easterly along the said boundary 400 feet, thence southerly and parallel to the eastern boundary of the first above described piece of land 825 feet, thence at right angles west 350 feet, thence north to the point of beginning, 795 feet.

Also all that piece or parcel of land forming another portion of Section XXXI., Esquimalt District, bounded as follows, viz.: On the west by the last described piece of land known as Buckley's Orchard, on the south by a line drawn from the south easterly corner of said last described piece to the Craigflower road and parallel to the northern boundary of the said Section XXXI., to the eastward by the Craigflower road, and to the northward by the northern boundary of said Section XXXI.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate of indefeasible title to the above lands will be issued to Peter Steele on the 30th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, June 24, 1895.

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A CYCLONE IN NEW YORK

Almost Completely Wrecks Several Small Villages and Kills Many People.

Hundreds Injured by the Kansas Visitor—A Cyclonic Battering Ram.

New York, July 15.—The first cyclone in many years struck New York and vicinity Saturday afternoon, killing several people and wrecking a large amount of valuable property. The cloud when first seen was funnel-shaped and hung very near the ground. At the upper end was a red spot that appeared more like an incandescent light than anything else. As it moved on in its course trees were torn down, telephone, telegraph and trolley wires demolished and houses unroofed or totally wrecked. At Cherryhill, a small village a few miles from Hackensack, it developed cyclonic fury, attended by the demolition of the village and a number of deaths. Within a minute after the storm broke, twenty-seven houses, nearly the entire number in the village, were wrecked. The cyclone made a clear path through the centre of the place, carrying everything before it. Houses were unroofed or thrown down, trees were uprooted and the crops in the fields levelled to the ground. At the present time it is known that five were killed and the injured are numbered by scores, many of them it is believed fatally. Great masses of wreckage were carried through the air by the gale, adding to the destruction. Among the buildings wrecked was the Dutch Reformed Church, a structure recently erected. Three large beams, picked from the wreck of other buildings by the wind, were borne, end on, against the side of the church and they went through the walls like cannon balls. The depot, standing between the tracks of the New York and New Jersey Central railway, was demolished. The freight depot was also wrecked and the big platform carried several hundred feet from its place. The cyclone wrecked thirty houses at Woodhaven and a very large school house there. There were 20 residents of Woodhaven injured by the cyclone and two deaths. Several people were picked up by the wind and carried a block or two. Trees and chimneys sailed through the air as if they were no heavier than feathers.

THE OPIUM TRAFFIC.

Correspondence Between Lady Aberdeen and Sir Mackenzie Bowell.

Quebec, July 3.—The following correspondence between Lady Aberdeen and Sir Mackenzie Bowell with reference to the opium traffic was submitted by Her Excellency to the local council of the Women of Canada the other day:

Copy of letter to Mackenzie Bowell, K.C.M.G., from Her Excellency:

The Citadel, Quebec,
June 18th, 1895.

My Dear Sir Mackenzie,—At the recent annual meeting of the National Council of Women of Canada, the local councils of Victoria and Vancouver sent up a resolution drawing attention to the fact that the duty on the covering of opium has been removed by the Dominion government.

They attribute the removal of the duty to the petition of the Chinese merchants of Victoria, supported by a recommendation from the board of trade at Victoria, which recommendation, however, was passed at a meeting when the attendance was very small.

They view with alarm the impetus thus given to the introduction of opium into this country, and dread the effects which its increased use in consequence of its decreased price will have not only amongst the Chinese in British Columbia, but also among the white population of the Dominion.

The National Council of Women therefore resolved "to urge upon the government of our Dominion the necessity of making the deadly drug of opium as difficult to secure as possible, and to request that the tax upon it be reimposed, and that it should not be lessened, but rather increased."

I am requested by our executive to lay this request before you on behalf of the council and beg your earnest consideration of the same.

I have the honor to remain,
Your obedient servant,
(Signed) ISABEL ABERDEEN.

To Sir Mackenzie Bowell, K.C.M.G., Premier and President of the Council.

Ottawa, June 26th, 1895.

Dear Lady Aberdeen,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 18th inst., calling attention to a resolution presented by the local councils of Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., to the National Council of Women of Canada, in which a protest is entered against the reduction of duty payable on opium, made by the parliament of Canada at its last session, adding that "they view with alarm the impetus thus given to the introduction of opium into this country."

I at once transferred the resolution to the department of trade and commerce for the purpose of ascertaining what effect the reduction of the duty upon opium had had upon the importation of the article into Canada.

The report of the deputy minister, which I now enclose for your information, shows that instead of an increase in the importation of opium into Canada, since the reduction of the duty, it has largely decreased. This falling off, I am free to admit, is the result of the action of the senate of the United States, in making crude opium free, when imported into the United States.

The subject dealt with in the other resolution, a copy of which you were kind enough to send, will receive early attention.

I have the honor to be,
Yours sincerely,
(Sd.) MACKENZIE BOWELL.

Department of Trade and Commerce,
Ottawa, June 24th, 1895.

Dear Sir Mackenzie,—In acknowledging the receipt of your favor of the 18th inst., covering a letter from the Countess of Aberdeen, embodying a resolution presented at the annual meeting of the National Council of the Women of Canada, by the local councils of Victoria and Vancouver, B. C., urging upon the government of Canada "the necessity of making the deadly drug of opium as difficult to secure as possible, and requesting that the tax upon it be re-imposed, and that it should not be lessened, but rather increased," I have the honor to direct your attention to the actual state of the case in its relation to the inhabitants of our Dominion, which is somewhat different from that under which it appears in the statistical records of our country, where the importation of crude opium for a number of years past is shown to have been very large, creating the impression that the use thereof in Canada is excessive.

These figures are easily explainable from the fact that the United States government has maintained, for a number of years, a prohibitory tariff on opium, the result being an abnormal importation into Canada, under a more reasonable tariff then existing, from whence it is alleged it found its way in a clandestine manner into the United States, thereby indicating that the actual consumption in Canada has been comparatively small.

In 1873, the United States government, finding that there was no legitimate importation of opium into that country, and being well advised of the illicit traffic, seems to have considered that, inasmuch as it was utterly impossible as experience had shown to exclude the drug, it was better to allow its admission at a rate which would put a stop to the commission of the smuggling and other frauds which existed in connection with its undesirable introduction, and with this object in view they reduced their tariff, thus converting an illegitimate trade into a legitimate one, and at the same time destroying the Canadian importation of the crude and of the subsequent exportation of the refined article in question. Under these circumstances, and forseeing the destruction as well of legitimate trade necessarily connected with that of opium refining in Canada, it was deemed advisable to attempt to lessen in a measure its disastrous effects upon such trade by slightly lowering the Canadian duty on the crude drug. But important returns show that the Canadian customs rate is still far beyond that under which a competitive trade should be carried on through Canada; the importation in 1894 having been less than 50 per cent. of that of 1893, while the figures of the nine months of the current year show that the trade for 1895 will scarcely equal 18 per cent. of that of 1893, thus showing that the object sought by the Women's Council has been attained, so far as it affects Canada, by the legislation of the United States, which has transferred the industry of refining the crude article from Canada to that country. Should circumstances arise pointing to the necessity for further restrictions, I have no doubt means will be taken by the government to apply them in such measure as will conserve legitimate interests and satisfy the dictates of humanity.

I have the honor to be, sir,
Your obedient servant,
(Sd.) W. S. GARNEAU,
Deputy Minister.

CABLE NEWS.

The Italian Fleet at Spithead—The Queen and the "New Woman."

London, July 15.—The Italian fleet arrived at Spithead on the morning of the 9th, and later the Italian admirals were received on board H. M. S. Victory by the commander-in-chief, the vice-admiral commanding the channel squadron, and other distinguished officers. The visit was subsequently returned.

The Italian officers and men are being warmly received and are being feted, dined, and lunched several times every day. This reception is intended to be and is interpreted as an offset to the Franco-Russian demonstration upon the occasion of the opening of Kaiser Wilhelm canal between the Baltic and the North Sea. The Duke of York and first lord of the admiralty, Right Hon. George Goschen, accompanied by all the lords of the admiralty, and a number of other distinguished officials, went to Portsmouth on Wednesday, and banqueted the Italians in a marquee erected on the grounds of the royal naval college. The Italians have since been conducted over the arsenal, etc., and the Duke of Genoa and other officers visited Windsor Castle to-day, where they were received by the Queen.

The Queen is taking a keen interest in the elections, and will be supplied with all the results over a special wire run to Windsor Castle from London.

According to Vanity Fair the Queen has expressed a strong opinon regarding the so-called "New Woman," especially as to the style of her dress. The Queen, it is added, is also strongly opposed to the "advanced novel," and remarked recently to one of her entourage that it was a great pity the public was in a mood to buy such books, and if there were no purchasing public, pens would cease to write such matter.

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MRS. O'LEARY'S COW.

How It Came to be a Famous Animal in Chicago.

Chicago, July 5.—At the wake of Mrs. Catherine O'Leary at Chicago Father Feeley said: "The historic woman has left us. I was privileged to be at her bed side before she died and to administer the dying benefits of the church while she was yet in perfect health of mind. During the last six years, whenever her health permitted, she had been in attendance at my church. Since I have known her she has always been very averse to saying anything concerning the great fire with which she had so close a connection. Her death was very peaceful and quiet."

A three-story stone front brick structure occupies the site where, in 1871, stood the O'Leary cottage. The structure is used as a flat building. Upon a large stone in the front of the house at No. 137 Dekoven street appears these words:

> The great fire of 1871 originated here
> And extended to Lincoln Park.
> Chicago Historical Society, 1881.

Mrs. O'Leary moved away from No. 137 Dekoven street in 1879, taking up her residence near the stockyards. But she was frequently seen afterwards in the neighborhood of her old home. She seemed to take pride in being pointed out, but always indignantly denied that her cow started the great fire in 1871.

The story relative to the cow and the fire, as told by a man named Klerker, of Chicago, who says he was at Mrs. O'Leary's house the night the fire started, was as follows:

"Mrs. O'Leary had arranged to give a party. During the evening the alarming information was given out that the house was short of milk. A young lady who was present said that as Mrs. O'Leary was a dairy woman she ought to have a cow and that she (the guest) would go out and milk the animal. Mrs. O'Leary consented to this, and the young lady, taking a pail in one hand and a tin lantern in which there was a candle in the other, went into the barn in the rear of the house. She put the lantern down near a pile of hay. Being unfamiliar with the modus operandi of milking, she approached the wrong side of the cow. Thereupon the cow kicked the young lady over. In falling she struck the lantern and the candle ignited the hay and the wind did the rest.

The Chicago fire started at 8:45 o'clock p.m. Sunday, October 8, 1871, and it was not extinguished till 10:30 Monday night. Within a space of 26 hours something like 18,000 buildings were consumed, and nearly 100,000 persons were made homeless. The total area burned over was 2124 acres. The fire travelled on an average of 65 miles an hour, and according to a reliable estimate the average destruction of property for the same time was about $7,500,000, or $125,000 a minute.

The burned district was about four miles in length, from north to south, and two-thirds of a mile in breadth on the average.

The origin of the fire is, as a matter of fact, still a mystery, though the generally accepted theory is that it was caused by Mrs. O'Leary's cow kicking over a kerosene lamp or a lantern. There was an official investigation made not long after the fire, and about 50 witnesses were examined, but there was not a word of testimony as to how or by whom the conflagration was started.

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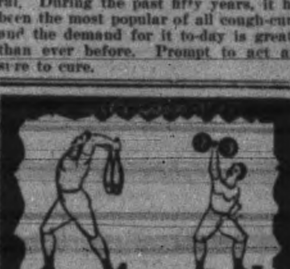

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A leading local physician, whose profession takes him among the children of the various public institutions, remarked to the writer, that one would hardly believe that so many children were affected by nervous troubles, which sap the system and prevent proper development. In many cases the doctors are powerless to cure these troubles. They can relieve the suffering little ones, but in South American Nervine we have a medicine that does more than simply give relief. Its peculiar strength is that it completely cures where physicians relieve. A case in point came to us the 24th ult., in a letter from Mr. James W. McRitchie of Bothwell, Ont. He says:—"My daughter Maggie, aged 9 years, was afflicted with nervous fainting spells for over a year, which left her in such a condition of weakness afterwards that the child was practically an invalid. We tried several remedies and doctored with her in one way and another, but nothing gave relief. Seeing South American Nervine advertised, as particularly efficacious in nervous diseases, I decided on trying it for her, and I must say that I noticed a decided change in my daughter for the better after she had taken only a few doses. As a result of using this medicine, she is now entirely free from those fainting spells and possessed of that life and brightness that is the happy lot of childhood. I am satisfied it is an excellent medicine for any nervous weakness. My experience has been further supplemented in the fact that my wife has also been using South American Nervine for indigestion, dyspepsia and nervous prostration, and has found very great relief."

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July9-td.

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MANITOBA FEELING.

The Winnipeg Tribune says: "If the Dominion government had made a special study of the question how it could best wreck the Conservative party in Manitoba, it could not have adopted measures more certain to have accomplished this object than those which have been followed the last year or so. The party—more especially its leaders—have been befooled to such an extent over the Hudson's Bay railway fiasco that the whole country is laughing in its sleeve at them, and these leaders and their following are inwardly cursing the government and threatening dire vengeance. Then the conduct of the government on the school question has been such as to alienate all sympathy which even any Conservatives might have." The Tribune proceeds to point out that the government looked upon the school question as a means of making party capital. It might be said truthfully that the ministers treated this question as a political game, in which they thought they were playing a winning card when they issued their celebrated "remedial order." They over-reached themselves and are now in the midst of difficulties from which Mr. Laurier and the Liberals are implored to release them. Manitoba has a third grievance in the appointment of an outsider as lieutenant-governor, a blunder which none but a short-sighted and incapable government would have committed. Touching the Hudson's Bay railway the Nor'Wester, the Winnipeg Conservative paper, says:

"The answer to the resolution of the mass meeting held a few days ago is that on account of the deficit the government did not feel itself free to vote money in aid of any public enterprise this session, and that an exception could not be made in favor of the Hudson's Bay railway. This would have been a reasonable and satisfactory objection to the order-in-council pledging the loan, but will hardly do now. The difficulty of the deficit was known at the time the order was passed; indeed, it was greater then than it is at present, for in the meantime the revenues have increased and the financial position for the year has improved. It was also known in the early days of the session, when the premier, from his place in the senate, indicated that legislation would be had on the lines of the order-in-council, which merely proposed that the aid already voted should be readjusted in such manner as to afford practical assistance to the enterprise. The premier and his colleagues must not therefore be surprised if the explanation now given of the government's failure to carry out its pledge shall not prove entirely satisfactory to the people of the Northwest. There is a suspicion that the excuse is manufactured for the occasion, and that the real reason of the most extraordinary proceeding of the government in dealing with this matter is that it has suffered itself to be bullied by the Canadian Pacific company."

It is painfully evident that the government looked upon the Hudson's Bay railway question as another political game of cards, in which the order-in-council was to play an important part. The result of the play is most unfortunate for the government. At the coming election the people of Manitoba will show most decidedly that they are tired of the bungling and shuffling of the tricksters who have made political sport of their affairs.

A FRIEND'S OPINION.

Government organs are of course in duty bound to defend the action of the government in regard to Manitoba schools. An organ must be a very inefficient one indeed if it cannot grind out the tune the government wants. It was rather strange, then, to find the Toronto World, which has faithfully and firmly supported the government, objecting to its course at the present juncture. In an article published after the announcement of the government's decision last week the World referred to the impression which had got abroad, "that the government had determined to abandon remedial legislation, and probably for all time to come." It was reported, says the World, that they had decided to do this because of the strength of the opposition to remedial legislation which had developed of late among their followers from Ontario. That opposition was, we believe, well founded, but the government has seen fit to display the virtue of consistency at least, and they now stand before the country as committed, to all intents and purposes, to a policy of remedial legislation. It does not matter whether it be done now or six months hence, they say it is to be done." As the World's article is probably an accurate reflection of Ontario Conservative feeling, and shows the position of the government from the standpoint of a candid friend, we quote it at length:

"The real significance of this determination, to put it in a nutshell, is that the government of Sir Mackenzie Bowell has determined to introduce legislation at the dictation of the province of Quebec, and in spite of the remonstrance of the province of Ontario, to coerce the people of the province of Manitoba to conduct their educational affairs different from what they themselves think best. This is the galling point of the situation, as well as it is the crux, and it is because Sir Mackenzie Bowell stands so pledged, and because Messrs. Haggart and Montague stand so pledged, that many Conservatives at Ottawa and thousands and thousands throughout Ontario are having pause, and wondering what is coming next. To our mind, the Conservative ministers have surrendered everything, and the French wing of the Conservative party have obtained everything they sought. Ontario is to be humiliated, and Quebec is to be triumphant over the coercion of Manitoba.

"And on top of this unexpected situation comes the report that the French ministers and the French Conservative members were not satisfied with the statement of the government, and were clamoring for the immediate execution of the bond, and that if it were not given the three French ministers would resign. If that is their attitude, and their conduct certainly looked that way yesterday, then we are of opinion that the sooner they go the better it will be for the Conservative party. But we more than suspect that what they did yesterday was in the nature of a bluff to counteract the rage of the Ontario Conservatives.

"At this juncture we cannot undertake to say what is likely to happen, but it does appear to us that cabinet reconstruction is the only way out of the difficulty, and that the Conservative party, if it is to remain in power, must get rid of the entangling promises which its present leaders at Ottawa have committed it to. We have no faith in legislation passed at Ottawa remedying the grievance complained of in Manitoba. The only remedy can come from Manitoba itself. If we attempt legislation at Ottawa, Manitoba will resist enforcement, and we will have the miserable exhibiton, session after session, of the Manitoba minority coming down for additional remedial legislation, or a proper enforcement of what may have been already conceded. In this way the question will drag on for years. All this session has been wasted over this miserable religious feud, imported into Dominion politics by the people of Quebec. No legislation of any importance has been passed or attempted. Nothing will be done next session but talk about the remedial bill. In the meantime the business of the country will be more or less jeopardized by reason of the uncertainty of the tenure of office of the Conservative party. The highest and best public policy would have suggested that this question be kept out of Dominion politics and the provinces allowed to manage their own educational affairs as they thought best. The attention of the parliament at Ottawa should be devoted to the development of our natural resources and the settlement of our waste lands, to the extension of our industries, to the improvement of our canals, and to a hundred other useful things. But, in place of one or any of these things, we are to have a miserable and what promises to be an interminable struggle about religion and education in a province which is well able to settle such questions for itself.

"The World believes that government in Canada can be carried on only on the basis of compromise and conciliation, and that such has been the rule of conduct of the Conservative party for many years. But there is no vestige of conciliation in coercing Manitoba, as is now proposed to be done."

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

No Abatement of Interest in the Good Work at Boston.

Boston, Mass., July 15.—To-night the fourteenth international convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, one of the most successful meetings in the society, will close. The attendance this morning at the meeting was as large as any day last week. At the larger meetings the addresses of President Geo. A. Gates, D.D., and President Ethelbert D. Warfield, LL.D., of Easton, Pa., in the tent "Willington," were the features of the morning. The former spoke of the "Consecration of an educated life," and was followed by the audience with great attention. Great interest was also manifested in President Warfield's address on "The attractions of the ministry to educated men." At the tent "Endeavor" an address by Robert E. Speer, of New York, on missionary service fields, have made him famous. Among the Christian Endeavorers thousands were surprised this morning at the youth of this leader, who is not yet 30, but is a veteran in his chosen work. The praise and song services are full of snap, energy and earnestness.

CABLE NEWS.

Mountain Climbers Fall—Death of the Marquis of Exeter.

London, July 15.—A party of five Englishmen, while trying to ascend Mount Ortler, fell over a precipice and were seriously injured. One of the party is dying. They were without guides.

William Allene Cecil, third Marquis of Exeter, is dead.

Madrid, July 15.—There have been serious outbreaks of rioting in the city of Zamora. Several gendarmes have been injured and one spectator was killed. Forty of the rioters have been arrested.

A dispatch received here from the island of Cuba announces that the railroad between Buenvis, port of the city of Puerto Principe, and Puerto Principe, the capital of the province of that name, has been cut by the insurgents, who destroyed the railroad station, three bridges and interrupted communication between the two cities.

Lima, July 15.—The relations between Peru and Bolivia are strained. It is rumored that the minister of Bolivia to Peru is about to retire. The government of Peru will send 2000 men to the Bolivian frontier.

Hongkong, July 15.—A force of 7,000 Japanese troops has left Tsututia in order to attack the Black Flags at Tai Wan Fu, island of Formosa. A battle between the opposing troops is expected to take place on Saturday next, July 20. A strong naval force will co-operate with the land force of the Japanese. Reports received here from the south part of the island of Formosa show that quiet prevails there.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Steamer Cibola Destroyed and the Engineer Roasted Alive.

Lewiston, N. Y., July 15.—The steamer Cibola, of the Niagara Navigation Co., was entirely destroyed by fire last night. The engineer was caught in the engine room and burned to death. A hotel near the docks caught fire and was burned to the ground. It is supposed that the flames originated in the engine room of the steamer and when discovered had obtained such a grip that the villagers were powerless to extinguish them. When the fire threatened the destruction of the town the Cibola was cut loose and allowed to drift down the river, affording a beautiful spectacle of a ship in flames until she burned to the water's edge.

The loss, including the steamer, will reach half a million.

The death of William Hammell, third engineer, was witnessed by many. He was hemmed in by the flames. His pitiful cries for help moved John Wilson, one of the crew, to follow the burning Cibola in a boat, shouting to Hammell to jump into the water, but he was too much dazed by his awful situation to do so. He was burned to an unrecognizable mass. The body was recovered this morning and an inquest is in progress. He was a bachelor and lived in Toronto. A. J. Woodward, second engineer, was badly burned about the face and neck, but will recover; Chief Engineer Welsh was burned about the legs, though not seriously; First Mate John McKeown, assisting at the pumps, was somewhat burned. The crew of 40 lost all their effects. Manager Foy, of the steamboat line, says the boat is worth $225,000 and is half insured. The fire was caused by the explosion of gas emanating from the coal bunkers.

The Last Week of Business.
Great reduction in prices for this closing week. H. Waller, Douglas street.

—This evening in the theatre the citizens' concert, in behalf of the Aberdeen reception deficit, will be given. Citizens should attend for the double purpose of receiving entertainment and helping the committee. The programme is a good one.

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DANGEROUS FLAMES.

Woods in the Vicinity of the Powder Works Catch from a Camp Fire.

There is a fierce forest and brush fire raging near Telegraph Bay, in rather close proximity to the powder works. It is being fought as best it can, for there is a remote possibility that it may reach the magazine, where tons of high explosives are stored. There have been a large number of fires in that locality of late, but the present and most dangerous one of all was started by campers on Saturday. It did not gain much strength at first, but fanned by strong winds it had by Sunday evening worked a mile, burning from the west side of the point where it started across in the direction of the works. Word was brought to the city last night at 8 o'clock and Chief Deasy proceed at once to the scene with an engine, one thousand feet of hose and ten firemen. Water could not be taken from the bay, but the line was attached to the pumps at the works and run up into the woods. The firemen had an all night fight of it. The engine was sent to town at midnight, but the men remained. This morning a force of 20 men from the works took their places and began felling trees and otherwise seeking to cut the flames off from fuel. Some headway was made this morning, but at 3 o'clock this afternoon a call was made on the fire chief for more help. An engine will be placed on a barge so that salt water can be used and towed around to either Telegraph Bay or Cadboro Bay. A large supply of hose will be taken along so that effective work may be done.

The magazine is a wooden building with a shingle roof and it is being guarded most zealously to prevent a spark carried by the wind from the burning forest firing it. There is an immense amount of nitro-glycerine in the magazine, and its explosion would be disastrous. It could not do any damage to the city, but would create havoc in the immediate vicinity. A mountain of rock stands on the city side of it and the force of an explosion would be checked at once. Then besides that it is some miles away from town. It is quite likely that unless the fire is checked or turned by the wind that a big force of men will be put on to move the explosives to barges, on which they can be towed to a place of safety.

Law Intelligence.

In Ward vs. Clark an application was made this morning before Mr. Justice Walkem for the release of the defendant, John Clark, senior, who is in custody under a writ of capias. The application was made under the execution act, under which a debtor may be released on his showing that he has no property wherewith to pay the execution creditor and that he is not about to leave the province, and that he has not made any fraudulent disposition or conveyance of his property, or any portion thereof, with intent to defeat or delay his creditors. John Clark made an affidavit swearing to the above requisites. C. E. Pooley, Q. C., for the plaintiffs, endeavored to show fraud and read parts of the evidence taken at trial of the action before Mr. Justice Drake. His lordship made an order for Clark's release at three o'clock to-day unless in the meantime the plaintiffs give notice of appeal, and in that case Clark must be detained and the appeal brought on within three days. C. J. Prior (Eberts & Taylor) appeared on behalf of Clark.

The full court, consisting of Chief Justice Davie and Justices McCreight and Drake, is to-day hearing the appeal in Edison General Electric Co. vs. the Westminster & Vancouver Tramway and the Bank of B. C., et al. The plaintiffs recovered a judgment on the 20th of December for $18,470 against the Tramway Co., and the company afterwards obtained a stay of proceedings under the said judgment until the hearing of the summons to set aside the judgment. The summons, which Irving was dismissed. In the meantime the Bank obtained a judgment for $37,217, which the plaintiffs tried to set aside on the ground that it was obtained by collusion and at a fraudulent performance. The order for the bank's judgment was obtained on a consent signed by the solicitor for the company. Mr. Justice Drake at the trial decided against the plaintiffs, and from the judgment the present appeal is taken. E. V. Bodwell and L. G. McPhillips, Q.C., for the appellants and C. P. Davis, Q.C., for the respondents.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—An installation banquet will be held at Masonic Hall, Esquimalt, to-morrow evening by United Service lodge, No. 24, A. F. & A. M.

—Yesterday, July 14, was the anniversary of the fall of the Bastile, and today all good loyal Frenchmen are observing the event.

—Ask your grocer for the new package of Paris Lumps the Refinery has just put on the market. The package is a 25 pound box, and the lumps are all neatly arranged in rows and cut extra thin. Price very moderate.

—Miss Olive E. Agnew has been engaged by the Conservatory of Music as teacher of elocution and delsarte. She comes very highly recommended, having had a splendid training followed by three years of teaching.

—Does your boy need a new hat? We have some straw hats. Hats that sold for 25 cents. Yours for 10 cents each. Four different sizes to choose from. Sizes 6½ to 7. Cameron, the cash clothier, 55 Johnson street.

—Seghers Council, No. 85, Y. M. I., will hold its regular meeting this evening. Nomination and election of delegates and alternates to the eleventh grand council which convenes at Vallejo, and the consideration of several important amendments to the constitution will be brought forward.

—The Canadian Gazette of June 27 says: "The dividend of the Hudson's Bay Company for the year to March 31 last is to be 12s. per share. This compares with 10 shillings for the previous year. Evidently the better prices for furs have outset the depression in land sales and general business in Canada."

—The Deluge engine, which has just received new tubes and been otherwise overhauled, was tested at the corner of Store and Johnson streets this morning. Everything worked very well and the test was an eminently successful one. The Deluge is a Merryweather engine purchased in 1869, yet after 26 years' service it can still do excellent work.

—The cabin passengers for Victoria on the steamer Walla Walla, which sailed from San Francisco yesterday, are: E. C. Senkler, J. H. Akroyd, D. McGillivray, Neil McCallum, Robt. Milligan, John Bole, Mrs. Olauser, Mrs. A. W. Kishel, Mrs. Frank Welden, Miss Miller, Clarence F. Jones, G. W. Leitch, W. B. Leitch, Mrs. G. Leavell, M. Lichstene.

—W. Moresby, recently appointed warden of the Dominion penitentiary at New Westminster, is in the city on business connected with provincial prison matters. He will assume charge of the penitentiary some time in the latter part of this month. He has already started to familiarize himself with the duties of the new post, and is already closing up the affairs of his present post preparatory to the change.

—C. Greene, alias Williams, who has been passing bogus cheques in most of the cities of the Northwest, has been caught at Vancouver. His scheme was to go to a boarding house and offer to pay his board in advance. When the proprietor told him the charges he would take a cheque out of his pocket for about $10 over the amount and receive change. He worked this scheme on a lady residing on Pandora avenue.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. J. T. McIlmoyle took place from the late residence, near Sidney, yesterday. The special train which ran from the city was crowded with friends of the family who wished to be present to witness the last sad rites. Many members of the A. O. U. W. were present and general regret was expressed at the untimely end of the deceased, who met her death by falling off a log, receiving injuries from which she never recovered.

—The steamer Maude returned yesterday from the West Coast. Capt. Roberts reports that the Simpson party are at present in possession of the Alberni claims over which there is a dispute. The new wharf at Port San Juan has been completed and everything in that district looks promising. The passengers by the Maude were: Mrs. C. Hackett, Mrs. F. Hackett, Miss Hackett and Miss Mescher, who went up the coast on one of Capt. Hackett's schooners; T. Corson, S. B. Netherby, B. Netherby, W. Clark, H. McKenny and W. L. Clark.

—Mary Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson, of 101 Cormorant street, died yesterday. She was a native of Victoria and aged 18 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning, services being held at the R. C. Cathedral at 10.

—Robert Cassidy and Herbert E. A. Robertson have formed a co-partnership for the practice of law under the firm name of Cassidy & Robertson. They will have an office in the Board of Trade building in the chambers now occupied by Mr. Cassidy.

—The Empress of China will sail outward this afternoon. She will arrive from Vancouver about the usual hour and will be met by the steamer Maude, which will leave from the Kingston's wharf. G. A. Dyer, of Tacoma, Mr. Lugebil, of San Francisco; F. Paget, of Victoria, and 20 Chinese and 10 Japanese passengers will board the ship here.

—The Dominion government telegraph line to Alberni was completed a few days ago and is now open for business. Work on the line was commenced last year and was proceeded with very slowly. It was not the intention to open the line until August 1st, but on account of the large amount of business offered the telegraph officers have been notified to accept dispatches for Alberni.

—Among the arrivals on the Miowera from Australia was Mr. Thos. Ramsbotham, late of the Royal Navy. Mr. Ramsbotham first came to Victoria when a midshipman in the Bacchante flagship of Rear Admiral Maitland in May, 1860. Afterwards in 1870 he was on this station in H.M.S. Zealous, flagship of Rear Admiral Farquhar. Mr. Ramsbotham was around the city yesterday visiting friends of 35 years ago. He is on his way home to England from a visit to a son in New Zealand.

—The steamship Miowera, of the Canadian-Australian line, is being hurriedly prepared for sea at Vancouver and will sail to-morrow afternoon. She is a couple of days behind her schedule, and the idea is to make up for the time lost. She will be here to-morrow afternoon and will sail in the evening. She will receive a large amount of freight at Vancouver and some good shipments here, making in all a very good cargo. She will have a large number of passengers, including the party of Victoria school teachers. Dr. Douglas Corsan, of this city, will make a voyage as ship surgeon.

—The old-fashioned Methodist camp meeting which commences to-morrow at Saanich will no doubt prove a very popular affair. There will be four trains each way every day and the fare is most reasonable. Trains leave Hillside avenue station at 7 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 4 p.m., 7:15 p.m., returning at 8 p.m., 10:45 a.m., 5:15 p.m. and 10 p.m. There will be no special train service on Sunday. An arrangement has been made whereby the steamer Mary Hare will run at intervals to the various points of interest at reasonable rates. Board and sleeping accommodations will be provided for those who wish to remain any time. A special musical programme will be given under the direction of Rev. P. C. Harris, B.A., on Thursday. An excursion party is expected from Vancouver, the steamer City of Nanaimo leaving the Terminal city at 8 a.m.

—The marriage of Mr. Francis M. Black, of the bank of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C., and Miss Margaret F. McIntosh, of Reno, Nev., was celebrated by Rev. S. J. Kennedy on Wednesday evening, the 10th inst., at the residence of Mr. Robert Croft, accountant, Bank of British Columbia, No. 201 Remington avenue, says the Seattle Post Intelligencer of Sunday. The rooms were exquisitely decorated for the occasion, the hall with nasturtiums and ivy. The drawing room, in which the young couple were married, contained white marguerites and smilax, whilst the dining room, in which dainty refreshments were served after the ceremony was over, had a profusion of La France roses and ferns. The bride's wedding trousseau was of cream silk and lace, and she carried a bouquet of white carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Black will visit the most attractive places in this state before starting for their home at Vancouver.

—The officers of Duncan lodge, No. 17, I. O. O. F., were on Saturday evening installed by W. E. Holmes, grand master, assisted by the following members of the grand lodge: T. Bloomer, D. D. G. M.; G. Glover, P. G.; A. Henderson, grand marshal; W. Huxtable, P. G.; R. Anderson, P. G.; D. Henry, P. G., of Victoria; Hugh Mitchell, G. C., and several others from Wellington. The following are the names of the officers for the ensuing term: W. G. Manly, N. G.; D. McGillivray, V. G.; J. H. Blyth, R. S.; C. Bazett, P. S.; C. H. Dickie, T.; R. J. Manly, warden; A. C. Aitken, conductor; J. McLovy, O. G.; W. Dingwell, I. G.; A. McKinnon, R. S. N. G.; James Cathcart, L. S. N. G.; J. Campbell, R.S.V.G.; W. Hooper, L. S. V. G.; R. Gims, R. S. S.; F. E. Woods, L. S. S. After the ceremony of installation the grand master, in a few well chosen remarks, made the lodge a present of a beautiful pair of silver mounted gavels, made from a portion of the keel of H. M. S. Warspite. The visitors were entertained at a splendid banquet, which was heartily enjoyed. The Victoria and Kamloops delegation came home on the noon train yesterday, highly delighted with the fraternal treatment they received at the hands of the Duncans brethren.

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—In W. & J. Wilson's window on Government street are a number of peaches grown by J. B. Harrison, Montreal street, James Bay, which are attracting great attention. They are excellent specimens of home production and speak well for the possibilities of Victoria.

—William Morris spent several hours in jail this morning, having been arrested at 3 o'clock on suspicion of having stolen $71 from Capt. Stone, of the schooner Queen May. There was no evidence against him, and although he was brought into court and remanded, he was released early this afternoon.

—Mrs. Nash, whose husband several weeks ago fell from the deck of the steamer City of Topeka and was drowned in Queen Charlotte Sound, leaves by the Danube this evening for the north. She will enquire at the different villages along the coast as to whether anything has been seen of the body. If not she will institute a search for it.

—The steamer Danube, Capt. Meyer, is becoming quite a popular steamer for excursionists. She leaves this evening for the north, and quite a number of Victorians will make the round trip on her. The passengers are: Rev. Field and wife, Rev. Appleyard and wife, Mr. Corker and wife, Mrs. Adams and daughter, Mr. McCandless, B. C. Mess, Mrs. Nash, Mrs. Meyer and a number of others.

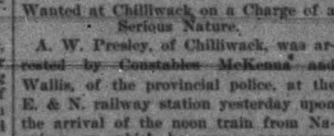
—There will be band concerts at the park both on Wednesday and Saturday evenings of this week. Although the appropriation of $200 will be exhausted with the concert on Wednesday evening, Bandmaster Finn has very kindly determined to tender a complimentary concert free of charge on Saturday evening. It is understood that the park committee, who see how popular the concerts have become, will take steps to have them continued.

ROYAL CITY NEWS.

A Man Drowned by the Upsetting of a Canoe—Small Sockeye Run.

New Westminster, July 15.—A man named Hamilton, working on Pitt Meadows dyke, was drowned on Saturday evening by the upsetting of a canoe. The body was recovered. Hamilton resided at Port Kells and leaves a wife and family.

The sockeye run last night was smaller than anticipated, the average for the river not exceeding 20 to a boat.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PRESLEY ARRESTED.

Wanted at Chilliwack on a Charge of a Serious Nature.

A. W. Presley, of Chilliwack, was arrested by Constables McKenna and Wallis, of the provincial police, at the E. & N. railway station yesterday upon the arrival of the noon train from Nanaimo, on which he was a passenger. Presley is wanted at Chilliwack, but just what charge will be entered against him is not known. If all reports are true it will be a very serious one.

A short time ago a man called upon the provincial police officials of New Westminster district and made a confession. He said that he, Presley and another man had entered into a conspiracy to burn Presley's store at Chilliwack to get the insurance. Shortly after all the arrangements had been made, he claims that Presley, being afraid that the third man would inform on them, proposed that they should drug him, leave him in the building, burn it down and the suspected one with it. This, the informant said, frightened him and he decided to tell the police. Immediately after this story came out Presley left for New Westminster and then crossed to Nanaimo, and it is believed had come to Victoria to cross to the American side when arrested.

Presley, who is a man of nearly sixty years of age, took his arrest very hard and it is believed he would have shot himself if he had not been prevented. When searched at the police station a loaded revolver was found in his pocket. It was cocked, and it was thought from what he said that he intended or had been trying, since his arrest, to kill himself with it.

Supt. Hussey telegraphed to Chilliwack for information, receiving the reply that a warrant had been issued for Presley's arrest and that an officer would be sent down for him.

It is thought that it will be difficult to establish a case against Presley, even if the story told by his alleged confederate is true.

PERSONAL.

S. Tingley is down from Ashcroft.

Geo. A. Huff, of Alberni, is at the Oriental.

Capt. H. H. Lloyd, of Seattle, is at the Oriental.

Hon. Justice Walkem leaves in the morning for the Mainland.

Mrs. Meyer, wife of Capt. Meyer, of the Danube, goes north this evening.

Hon. Mr. Justice Walkem returned on Saturday evening from the interior.

John Hilbert, ex-mayor of Nanaimo, left for California on Saturday evening.

Mrs. C. E. Woods and daughter, of New Westminster, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellis.

Mrs. Capt. Hackett and family and Miss Lizzie Mesher returned last evening by the Maude from Ahousat.

Thos. Carson, who has been out with the Gore survey party, came up from the West Coast on the Maude.

G. H. Barnard, of the firm of McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard, and bride arrived from the east yesterday evening.

Miss Richards, who has been visiting her uncle, Hon. A. N. Richards, and Miss Crease, leaves in the morning for the Mainland.

Principal Netherby, of the Central School, and son returned on the steamer Maude from a short visit to the West Coast.

J. W. Horne, ex-M.P.P., J. E. W. Macfarlane, J. A. Russell, Chas. Wilson and [illegible], of Vancouver, registered at the [illegible] last evening.

W. A[illegible] and [illegible], of the North Ward school, [illegible] leave for [illegible] lake, where they will [illegible]

A LIBEL SUIT IN SIGHT.

The School Board Have a Very Lively Meeting on Saturday Night.

Trustees Indignant at Article in Colonist—Consider it is Libellous.

The meeting of the board of school trustees on Saturday evening assumed somewhat of a lively aspect after having opened very tamely.

Trustee Marchant, after regular business matters had been disposed of, rose to a question of privilege. He called the attention of the board to an article in the Colonist of June 16, 1895, which contained charges against three of the trustees, Messrs. Glover, Lewis and himself. He quoted the article, and said he thought it would be admitted by all thinking men that it was most uncalled for criticism. He did not know by whom it was written—most likely by one of the Colonist staff—but it was untrue. If true he would resign; he would deem it a crime if he were guilty as charged. What made the matter worse, the slanderous article imputed motives that trustees had been getting chums positions of preference on the teachers' staff. He wrote to the Times and denied the insinuations. Neither teacher was more than an ordinary acquaintance. It was libellous because it declared motives, and was, in his opinion, a case for damages. A letter appeared in the Colonist the next day from Trustee Glover, and he also, over his own signature, wrote to the Times explaining his position, but, apparently, in order to aggravate matters, the Colonist still permits letters to appear reiterating the charge. On June 23rd a letter appeared which again slandered the trustees. He would read the letter. It did not charge that we stole money, but it makes charges equally as grave. In the Colonist of July 3 there appeared a similar letter which he quoted from. Here the charge is distinctly made that our motives in favoring the changes on the trustee board was to benefit chums. He would not in any way curtail the criticism of the press, but this has degenerated into license. Writers who have not the moral courage to sign their own names are permitted to attack public servants with impunity. The first article in the Colonist—the one which he claimed was libelous—was evidently an editorial; the others were permitted to appear in the columns of the paper. He could say that all meetings were conducted in the most open manner. He moved the following resolution:

"That the article and letters appearing in the Colonist newspaper of June 16, 1895, June 23, 1895, and July 3rd, 1895, respectively, be submitted to the board's solicitors with a view, if advisable, to institute a suit for damages for slander, and that the chairman, Trustee Glover, and the mover be a committee to confer with the said board's solicitors and report back to the board."

Continuing, he said that if the charges were true he would be unworthy a seat on the board and he asked that the board take some action against this foul wrong and obtain reasonable justice against those who have so besmirched its public name.

Trustee Lewis was astonished when he saw the article in the paper. He had acted in good faith and in the public interest in every way, and most emphatically declared he was most impartial in his dealings with the teachers. He denied totally having a chum. He will stand for every teacher who has ability and the necessary qualifications for office. He denied the statements in the article under discussion and declared it was a most direct slander to declare he was caucusing for chums. It was detrimental to the public interest to allow such statements to go unchallenged. He would deny it and denounce it as a shameful attack upon his character. When any newspaper goes so far he thought it was time to tell the publishers where a line should be drawn. He would ever work for the public good and was above the dirty tricks imputed to him. It was detrimental to his interest. He was a young man and had a future ahead of him and this attack on his character might ruin him. He insisted that they must apologize in to-morrow's (Sunday) paper. Why, he was shocked when he saw the article. He thought the publishers of the Colonist had more intelligence than to allow such lies to appear in their paper, but he was mistaken. Such scandalous statements must not be allowed to go before the public unchallenged. He would support Trustee Marchant's motion.

Trustee Lovell regretted the statements and considered there was nothing to justify them. It was wrong in the extreme and he was exceedingly sorry that it had occurred. He did not wonder at the indignation of Trustees Lewis and Marchant.

Trustee Mrs. Grant deplored such statements and was also of the opinion that there was nothing to justify them. It looked to her that the Colonist being unable to obtain a correct report of the proceedings had simply guessed at the information. She could say that the statements were untrue in every particular. There was no "lively row" as was stated. She agreed with the changes that had been made, and knowing the utter untruth of the charges contained in the article would support the motion.

Trustee Saunders thought Trustee Marchant over-sensitive. In his opinion they had heard the last of the matter and had better let it drop. He would suggest that the motion be not pressed.

Trustee Marchant did not think that he was at all over-sensitive. His character had been attacked and no attempt had been made at an apology, and as the statements made had been reiterated he thought some action necessary. He hoped to retain his good name—the dearest thing which a man can have.

Trustee Lewis again expressed his indignation and told of being questioned by a man who thought the charges true. He would not stand blackguarding.

Chairman Hayward hoped that there would not be another lawsuit. He thought there was some excuse for the article, for according to the letters of Trustees Marchant and Glover there was an admission of a caucus to arrange for the appointment of trustees.

Trustee Lewis—"I call you to order. I gave notice of motion and did not caucus as you state."

Trustees Marchant and Lovell again condemned the action of the Colonist. Trustee Lovell would, however, not approve of a lawsuit.

Trustee Mrs. Grant asked would it not be well to ask the Colonist to make a full and ample apology.

The resolution was carried on the following division: For—Trustees Mrs. Grant, Marchant and Lewis. Against—Trustees Saunders and Lovell.

A quantity of unimportant business matters also came up and were dealt with in the usual way. The decision of the city council in the matter of establishing a night school was conveyed to the board in a communication from City Clerk Dowler. After discussion a resolution was passed expressing the board's desire to encourage its establishment, and a committee was appointed to devise some suitable scheme of aiding the proposition.

The meeting adjourned at 10.45.

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THE NEWS OF GERMANY.

The Kaiser's Affecting Farewell to King Oscar—The Empress is Charitable.

Dismissed the Army for Refusing to Fight a Duel—Charges on the Canal.

Berlin, July 15.—Politics will be in a comatose state for the next couple of months, now that the Bundesrath and the Prussian diet have adjourned, after an almost barren session. In the meanwhile the Emperor is having a good time in Sweden, where King Oscar and his family took great pains to signalize their friendship for the German emperor. There was an impressive scene on board the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern on Tuesday night, when King Oscar bade farewell to Emperor William. The yacht was illuminated by large numbers of electric fairy lamps. The monarchs, after conversing cordially, walked to the gangway with King Oscar leaning upon Emperor William's shoulder. There was an affectionate leave taking. The Hohenzollern next week cruises along the coast of Northland.

A charitable act of the Empress of Germany has just become known. She has sent the sick and destitute peasant poetess Johanna Ambrosius, of East Prussia, to Switzerland in order that she may benefit by the air of that country, and will provide for her during the remainder of her life.

The relations between Prince Bismarck and the Emperor and his government continue to be strained. As further proof of the fact it deserves mention that Count Von Rantzau, Prince Bismarck's son-in-law, has resigned his mission as German minister to The Hague and has left the state service entirely in order to devote himself wholly to Prince Bismarck at Friederichsruhe, at the latter's request.

The plan for erecting a gigantic Bismarck monument on Blankenze, near Hamburg, on the steep shore overlooking the Elbe, is taking shape. The monument itself will be thirty metres high. The committee have got the work in hand and is made up of about 100 of the leading men throughout Germany, and a sum of one million marks is needed to complete it. The funds necessary to erect the monument will be raised by popular subscription. The site has been presented to the committee by the owner of the land, a wealthy merchant of Hamburg.

On Friday next, the 25th anniversary of the declaration of war by France against Prussia, the Berlin residents will commemorate the day with a patriotic celebration in which delegations from the academic societies and other universities will take part. On August 18th next, the anniversary of the battle of St. Privat, in which the Guard du Corps suffered most severely, a big celebration will be held by the first brigade of guards at Potsdam, at which the Emperor, it is said, will be present.

A monument of King Louis II of Bavaria has just been erected at Lindhof. The monument was modelled by an American, Miss Deney, to whom the king sat shortly before his suicide.

Ship owners are loudly complaining at the high tariff charged in the case of vessels passing the Kaiser Wilhelm canal. During the first week of July 76 craft of various sizes passed through the newly opened water way and one English steamer paid 1706 marks in tolls. A small steamer of 600 tons paid 485 marks and in the winter it is proposed to raise the tariff 25 per cent. Dr. Boyeson, secretary of the Kiel chamber of commerce, has asked the canal management to lower the tariff, fearing that the passage of the canal will never become popular unless this is done. Up to September next one thousand men will be kept at work finishing the embankment.

Carl Wesselsky, a leading actor of the National Theatre, has become a raving maniac.

S. Tomazecevski, the regimental surgeon belonging to the landwehr at Schmiegl, has been dismissed from the army on account of his refusal to fight a duel with an apothecary named Hamisch belonging to the same town.

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TIME TABLE NO. 24

To take effect at 8 a.m. on Friday, April 5, 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

South Bound, Read Up: No. 1 Pass. Daily.	South Bound, Read Up: No. 3 Pass. Sat. Su.	Miles to Wel.	STATIONS.	Miles fr. Vic.	North Bound, Read Down: No. 2 Pass. Daily.	North Bound, Read Down: No. 4 Pass. Sat. Su.
Ar. 12.30 pm	Ar. 8.30 pm	78	Victoria		De. 8.00 am	De. 4.50 pm
12.16	8.25	77	Russell's	1	8.04	4.55
12.06	8.18	74	Esquimalt	3	8.14	5.03
12.03	8.15	73	Stewart's	5	8.17	5.06
12.00	8.12	72	Parson's Bridge	6	8.20	5.09
11.53	8.06	70	Langford	8	8.27	5.15
11.43	7.57	65	Goldstream	11	8.37	5.24
11.15	7.31	58	Summit Siding	20	9.05	5.52
10.50	7.10	50	Shawnigan Lake	28	9.30	6.14
10.40	7.02	47	Cobble Hill	31	9.40	6.22
10.25	6.55	43	McPherson's	35	9.55	6.31
10.15	6.46	40	Koksilah	38	10.05	6.38
10.10	6.42	38	Duncan's	40	10.10	6.45
10.00	6.35	35	Somenos	43	10.20	6.51
9.53	6.26	31	Westholme	47	10.27	6.58
9.39	6.15	28	Chemainus	50	10.42	7.08
9.30	5.57	19	Oyster Bay Siding	59	11.00	7.26
9.11	5.45	16	Oyster Bay	62	11.09	7.33
8.40	5.15	5	Nanaimo	73	11.40	8.06
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For Pender and Moresby Islands, Friday at 7 o'clock.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NANAIMO.

Nanaimo, July 15.—On Saturday the home team met and defeated a team from H. M. S. Nymphe on the cricket grounds. This is the first time the bluejackets have been beaten this season.

The Nanaimo Literary Athletic Club celebrated their anniversary in the club rooms on Saturday night. The programme consisted of speeches, songs, recitations, dialogues and all kinds of athletic amusements.

The coal rights of certain portions of Gabriola Island have been bonded to a Seattle company. W. Planta, of this city, is the local agent. Boring is to be commenced as soon as the necessary machinery can be obtained.

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VANCOUVER.

Vancouver, July 15.—W. T. Bambridge, assistant foreman of the World, was drowned in English Bay on Saturday. Deceased, with his wife and a number of others, were spending the day at the Bay. Several of the party went in bathing. Bambridge swam out to a raft and was on his way back when he was seen to throw up his hands and sink. His brother swam out to the spot, but was unable to find the body by diving. Later in the evening it was recovered by a search party.

R. G. Dun & Company sent their Vancouver agent to Kootenay to enable the company to answer questions regarding the district. He has returned and seems much pleased with what he saw.

A. H. B. Macgowan has been appointed inspector of fruit pests at Vancouver.

The proposition to erect a smelter at Vancouver is gaining ground.

Jim Hi, a Chinaman, whose sanity is open to question, attempted to commit suicide last Friday night by maiming himself in a most revolting manner.

Ald. W. P. Brown and Thomas tendered their resignations yesterday to His Worship the Mayor, who subsequently issued a writ for new elections in Wards Four and Five.

General Superintendent Abbott went up the line yesterday to meet Vice-President Shaughnessy, and will accompany him through the Kootenay country, where the C.P.R. may probably do a large amount of construction work this season.

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NEW WESTMINSTER.

The dead body of Capt. Tiddy, of the Vancouver steamer Fingal, was found in the Fraser on Saturday afternoon near Wadham's cannery, Ladner's Landing. He had been missing since Sunday. It is supposed that he fell overboard.

There seems to be prospects of the council accepting C. D. Rand's scheme for building the Westminster bridge.

Mr. J. A. McMartin brought up from Mr. Woodward's ranch at Lulu island a fine sample of oats. He states that Mr. Woodward has about 10 acres, the oats on which are an even crop, fully 6 feet high and heading out well.

At a public meeting held on Saturday evening the following resolution, moved by Judge Bole, seconded by Mr. J. C. Brown, passed unanimously: "That this meeting having heard the explanation given of the present position of bridge matters, respectfully request the city council to pass the resolution required as a condition precedent to the putting up of the guarantee to Mr. Rand and to call upon Mr. Rand to deposit his guarantee and proceed with his work without delay."

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LARDEAU.

The Lardeau country is rapidly filling up, and the prospector is very much in evidence.

The owners of the Badshot are cutting a private trail from the Gainor creek trunk trail with a view of shipping ore.

L. Arthur, of Victoria, who owns a half interest in two claims of the Glengarry group, came in this week and will start to work immediately on his assessment.

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ROSSLAND.

A. E. Humphreys now carries two hundred and fifteen thousand dollars worth of property in the Trail Creek camp. He has the Iron Horse, Monte Cristo and Enterprise bonded for $65,000, the Kootenay bonded for $75,000 and the Crown Point, Hidden Treasure and White Swan bonded for $75,000. On Tuesday he closed a deal with Topping & Hanna for a half interest in the townsite. Besides putting in a smelter plant Mr. Humphrey will open a real estate office and interest eastern capitalists in the building up Trail.

J. C. Devlin came down yesterday from Cariboo Creek, where he reports things looking up. He brought a sample of ore with him from Veder's claim. A hundred-pound sample of his ore sent to Tacoma gave returns of $170 in gold to the ton.

It is not an exaggeration to say that the whole belt of the country from the head of lower Arrow lake down the Columbia river to the boundary line and west to Okanagan divide is alive with men.

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REVELSTOKE.

A meeting was held in the school house last week to discuss the feasibility of organizing a board of trade. Mr. C. E. Shaw was elected secretary pro tem. Twenty-three business men put down their names as supporters, but 90 names are required before a charter can be obtained. This movement is one that has become a necessity; it is also one which demands the hearty co-operation of all the business men in the district, which, no doubt, it will receive.

Capt. Campbell's steamer Red Star arrived on the cars from Kelowna last week, and was launched on Saturday. The steamer left on Monday for Robsons Capt. Campbell is still undecided as to whether he will run the boat on the Columbia or load her on the cars at Robson and launch her in the Kootenay lake.

J. D. McDonald has discovered a rich claim on Cariboo Creek, nine miles from Burton city. The specimens that McDonald brought down with him look very much like the Le Roi ore.

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SLOCAN.

A large ledge of zinc was discovered in the McKeigan basin last week.

Samples taken from the surface of the IXL mine run $105 in gold and 774 ounces of silver. Slocan lake will prove another Trail Creek in productiveness.

Nine hundred men are employed on the Kaslo and Slocan railway, which is expected to be in running order by September 15th.

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McPHERSONS.

McPhersons, July 15.—There was a well attended meeting of the residents at McPhersons Station last Saturday evening, when it was decided that a deputation of five residents would go to Victoria to interview Hon. James Baker, minister of education, in regard to having better schooling facilities for the children in the vicinity of McPhersons.

—To prevent pale and delicate children from lapsing into invalids later in life, they should take Ayer's Sarsaparilla together with plenty of wholesome food and out-door exercise. What they need to build up the system is good red blood.

VOYAGE OF THE MIOWERA.

She Arrived on Saturday after a Splendid Passage from Australia.

The steamship Miowera, Capt. Stott, arrived here at 4:30 Saturday afternoon after a splendid passage from Sydney. She was a couple of days behind schedule time, but not on account of this trip. Purser Young furnished the following report of the trip: "The R. M. S. Miowera left Sydney on the 20th of June at 1:30 p.m., and with fine weather arrived at Suva on the 26th of June. After discharging cargo and landing passengers she resumed her voyage northwards the following day, during which Aiofa island was sighted in passing. On the 29th of June at 4:40 p.m., in latitude 3:42 south and longitude 172:15 west, the R. M. S. Warrimoo, bound south, was passed. On June 30 the equator was crossed at noon in longitude 170:54 west, and with a continuation of fine weather Honolulu was reached at 3:30 p. m. on the 5th instant. A number of passengers and a considerable cargo were taken on board and a start again made at 8:30 p.m. the same day. With clear weather and a smooth sea Cape Flattery was passed at 10 a.m. and Victoria wharf reached at 4 p.m."

The saloon passengers were: For Victoria—T. Ramsbotham, A. S. Higginson, Mrs. Baker, Miss De la Cour, Miss Tompkins, W. H. Hall, Mrs. Hall, and Mrs. Bell and child. For elsewhere—Dr. Clowes, Rev. Lawrie, J. C. Wood, Mrs. and Miss Langtree, Lieut. and Mrs. Robertson, child and maid, James Norrie, H. Franks, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cameron, H. W. Fraser, J. Richmond, J. Richmond, jr., J. S. Colton-Fox, Mr. Dalziel, Misses Dalziel, Rev. Hewison, J. Stokes Beagley, H. Gildenmeister, Miss Carter, J. J. Hair, A. Smith, W. and Mrs. Chalmers and family, J. Falconer, W. Hunt, W. Clarke, W. Walslie, J. Taylor, J. S. Clarke, C. Bourne, Mrs. Baptista, F. Bullock, J. Eastwood, J. Wellings, Mr. and Mrs. March, Mr. and Mrs. Laidlaw and family, G. Gilchrist, W. Husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and family, C. Peterson, G. Johnson, A. K. Walker, E. J. Hadley, A. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Faris and family, C. D. Pringle, C. H. Morrison and C. A. Neville.

Among the notables on board was Jas. Norrie, the English tenor, who is on his way home after an Australian tour. He took a leading part in several impromptu concerts. Mrs. Baker, wife of Col. Baker, and Miss De la Cour, returned from their Hawaiian trip. Lieut. Robertson, of the Australian militia, and Mrs. Robertson are on their way to London. Dr. Douglas Corsan, who went down as surgeon, came back very much improved in health.

As cargo the Miowera brought 273 cases of meats, 429 cases of Australian fruits, 765 crates and 879 bunches of bananas, 121 cases of pineapples, 20 cases of treacle, 1 case of rubber coats, 694 ingots of tin, 3 cases of machinery, 65 bales of sheep skins, 19 bales of wool, 10 cases of general merchandise. The Miowera sailed for Vancouver at 8 o'clock.

On the way up Captain Stott was presented with the following address, signed by all the saloon passengers: "We, the passengers of the Miowera to Vancouver desire before leaving the ship to express our sense of the comfort we have enjoyed, the uniform courtesy and kindness we have experienced at the hands of Commander Stott and his officers, and the attention we have received from the attendants of the ship during our passage across the Pacific. All the arrangements made for the convenience and enjoyment of the passengers we found to be most excellent, and we could wish no better holiday trip nor more comfortable means of travelling than we have had on the Miowera from the 20th of June to July 13th, 1895."

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THEOSOPHICAL LECTURE.

Outline of the Lecture on Sunday at Theosophical Hall.

The following is a summary of the address yesterday: Our position then as Theosophists is this: The truth is attainable by man, the truth as to the universe, as to man's nature, as to the relationship that exists between man and the universe that surrounds him. Religion loses much of its rightful force in the world if it is not regarded as a reality and a fact, a truth which men may in due course of time verify for themselves if they are willing to take the appropriate means, if they are willing to make the requisite endeavor. For there is no land where the Spirit does not speak, there is no land where the voice Divine may not be heard, and if to-day the speech be somewhat clearer, it is not so much the difference in the speech as the difference in those who hear. The voice of the Spirit can be heard by no one save by him in whom that Spirit has become developed and able to understand.

In the west to-day the world generally would admit of the possibility of truth under a three fold division: truth as to the physical universe, which we call science; truth in the region of the intellect, which is regarded as philosophical; truth in the region of the spiritual, which is put as belonging to religion. With Theosophy there is no such division. To us there is one truth with many aspects, one truth manifesting itself on many planes. True religion is not apart from philosophy, nor philosophy from science, nor is there any antagonism between them.

And thus theosophists stand to-day witnesses for the existence of spiritual truth; witnesses as to the possibility of the understanding of that truth by men; witnesses of the existence of those perfected sages who help humanity on its upward climb, and show the light to all who are willing to see, and to you of different faiths, to you of different modes we say, you are not different, for your spirit is one with ours. Our language may sometimes differ from yours. What is language? It is that which divides while the spiritual truth unites, and thus it applies to any other race or any other creed. Our religions in their names are different, in their essence they are one.

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THE CANADIAN MAGAZINE.

The Canadian Magazine for July is a most seasonly number, containing as it does food for thought in excellent style, and an abundance of light matter in the way of fiction, admirably adapted to the lighter moods of the large mass of readers who make July a time of leisure. "By the Judgment of God" is a story by Rev. R. F. Dixon, which in plot, strength and sustained interest is one of the best stories of the year. "An Indian Lover," by a New England lady, is redolent of the air of Quebec. C. W. R. Biggar, Q.C., in his contribution of "Rome Revisited," gives a most entertaining article on Rome and its suburbs. "The Revival of Napoleon Worship," by J. W. Russell, is thoughtful and true to nature. "Two Days in Weimier," by Ellen Sigrid, is a sympathetic and thoroughly natural study of several of the great men of Germany and their surroundings. Catherine Helen Spence, one of the most famous advocates of Woman's Rights, deals in an interesting manner with the movement in Australia, though all readers will not fully sympathize with the views expressed. A socialist gives tersely a view of the effect of selfishness on the Socialistic Programme which should prove interesting to students of the vital questions of the day, and to many others. "Hypnotism," by George M. Aylworth, M.D., is an interesting contribution on the subject; we hope it will be followed up by other writers. There are other articles of interest, and several poems, amongst which may be mentioned (poetry has been in eclipse for two decades at least) the exceedingly graceful poem by J. Henderson, "In Arcadie," and the humorous, serious poem on "The Microbe," by D. McCaig. The number is an interesting one. The Canadian Magazine is published by the Ontario Publishing Co. Ltd., at $2.50 per annum, and 25 cents per single copy.

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The Summer Warfare and How to Conquer a Pest.

Housekeepers are always glad of any information which will help them to conquer those enemies of their summer's peace—flies. Here are two items which experience has proved of use in the battle.

We all know how flies settle upon a screen door in rainy weather, or upon those of the kitchen in any weather, waiting for an opportunity to slip in as soon as it is opened. If a cloth dipped in kerosene is rubbed over the outer side of the wire and frame of the screen, the flies will not settle upon it. They do not like kerosene. One application will usually prove effectual for several days.

The other agent—oil of lavender—is for the purpose of disposing of such of them as have already gained an entrance to the house.

Darken all the windows but one. The flies will soon congregate about that, for flies enjoy sunshine as thoroughly as moths detest it. Now with an atomizer spray the window casing with the oil of lavender, and either leave the open bottle upon the sill or saturate a small cloth with some if it. The flies will soon become stupefied and can then be brushed down and disposed of. If an atomizer is not at hand, rub the casing with a saturated cloth. It is also a good plan to rub the oil over any place where the flies particularly like to light upon. A hanging lamp has often a great attraction for them, but if the shade and chains are rubbed over with the oil they will not light upon it.

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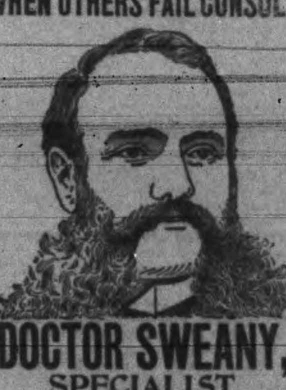

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E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

July 9, 1895.

$10 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other, in the City of Victoria, or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto, or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises, or defacing injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, B.C., March 20th, 1895.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20, and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-Law, 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In the North Ward on Mondays and Thursdays.
In the Central Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays.
In the South Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforced.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
14th May, 1895. m17

Notice in Respect to Thistles.

The attention of persons interested is hereby drawn to sections 3 and 4 of the Consolidated Thistle By-Law, which read as follows, viz.:

"3. Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee, of any land, shall cut or cause to be cut down, all thistles growing upon such land before such thistles have gone to seed or come to flower."

"4. Every person convicted of an infraction of the by-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars."

The said persons are also respectfully informed that this is the only notification they will receive in regard to this matter.

By order,
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Victoria, B. C., June 25th, 1895.

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LACROSSE.

SATURDAY'S GREAT GAME.

A large crowd was present at Caledonia Park on Saturday afternoon to witness the champion lacrosse match between the Westminsters and the Triangles. Although the Triangles whitewashed the boys from the Royal city in four goals to nothing, it was voted by all present to be a rattling good game. The games were fast from start to finish, and many brilliant plays were made. A genuine surprise was in store for those who expected to find weak spots in the make-up of the Triangles, for the new blood played like veterans and were at all times very much in evidence. The first game occupied nineteen minutes, the second 16, the third 14, the fourth 14. The teams were the same as published in the Times, with the exception that T. Watson acted as field captain for the Triangles instead of W. Clark. A. Suckling was referee, and his decisions were in every way satisfactory. J. B. Johnson, of New Westminster and W. Smith, of Victoria were behind the flags. T. Allice of Victoria and W. Mahoney of New Westminster were the time-keepers.

The strongest portion of Westminster's make-up was their defence, which called for many expressions of admiration as the ball, time and again dangerously near the flags, was sent spinning down the field in one-two-three order. Westminster played well—there is no doubt about that—but the Triangles played better, the team work of our boys showing wonderful skill in passing the rubber at the most critical times. Peele, Oddy, and Dalgleish were prominent on the visitors' team.

If there is a weak spot in the make-up of the Triangles it is not perceptible to the naked eye. All of our boys played well and one was at times in danger of becoming permanently cross-eyed endeavoring to watch all the great plays of the boys in blue. Bland, Campbell, Clark and Cusack surprised everyone with their excellent playing, and the frequency with which the grand stand yelled each of their names when some exceptionally fine play was made testified to the good work being done. Ditchburn seemed to be always at the right spot at the right moment and cries of "Go it, Ditch," and "Good boy, Ditch," were very often heard. The Cullins, Clark, Tite, Coldwell, Paterson and Belfry, and in fact every member of the team, were given an opportunity to distinguish themselves at various periods of the game, which they did to the fullest extent. W. H. Cullin and F. Cullin had to call on the services of "Old Toolip" Foster for repairs, which were speedily effected and the game went on.

Seldom has there been a more thoroughly satisfied and enthusiastic audience at a lacrosse match anywhere than that which wended its way home after the conclusion of Saturday's game. On all hands could be heard "I was never so interested in anything in my life"; "Wasn't it a corker?" "Say, our boys are all right, ain't they?" and so on.

Many amusing incidents occurred during the progress of the match and created roars of laughter. Coldwell, the Triangles' able goal-keeper, has the cut of a man who might put up a pretty good "scrap," and he was roundly cheered when he gave Cambridge a well deserved crack with his stick when that individual was wrongly within the lines. Another little affair which was the production of much merriment was the action of "Old Toolip" when the water boy, failing to respond as quickly as Bob expected, he seized the bucket from the bewildered urchin and dashed the contents over him amid the cheers of the crowd.

SUMMARY.

Game.	Won by.	Scored by.	Time
1.....	Triangles.....	Bland	19 m
2.....	Triangles.....	Scrimmage	16 m
3.....	Triangles.....	Ditchburn	14 m
4.....	Triangles.....	C. Cullin	14 m

A special general meeting of the Capital lacrosse club will be held at the Y. M.C.A. rooms to-morrow evening at 8 p.m. All members are specially requested to attend.

CRICKET.

SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

The Royal Arthur defeated the Albions on Saturday by 150 to 110; Victoria College defeated the Battalion team by 64 and Victoria Cricket Club 2nd eleven defeated Lieut. Stileman's eleven by 137 to 71.

THE WHEEL.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS.

A call has been issued for a special general meeting of the Victoria Wheelmen's Club this evening at 8 o'clock. Several items of importance will come up for consideration. The management of racing meets, arrangements for the championship meet, and the best means of advancing the general interest of the club are some of the items to be considered. All members are urged to be present.

OUT FOR PRACTICE.

At the Oak Bay track on Saturday the racing men of the V. W. C. had some good practice at ¼, ⅜, ½, 1 and 5 miles. McGregor of Nanaimo was also present. S. P. Moody won the mile novice in 3.27 and quarter mile in 33.24 2-5. McGregor did the third in 48 3-5. Johnson second; and Kavanagh won the half mile in 1.19, with Wolff second. T. G. Moody won the open mile in 2.55 4-5. S. P. Moody second. Kavanagh was first in the five miles and McGregor second. Time 15.45.

LONG DISTANCE RECORDS.

St. Louis, July 5.—Ross Miller, of Century road, broke the 25, 50 and 100 mile state road records yesterday. The times for the distances were: 25 miles, 1 hour 19 minutes; 50 miles, 3 hours 15 minutes; 100 miles, 7 hours.

ASBURY PARK.

Asbury Park, July 15.—There were five events to be decided this afternoon in addition to the exhibitions. At 2:40 p.m. the men got on the mark for the final of the 3-mile handicap, class B, special. Result: B. B. Bird, St. Paul, 150 yards, 1st; A. H. Barnett, Plainfield, 180 yards, 2nd; J. Fred Barry, Syracuse, 120 yards, 3rd; J. Coburn, Syracuse, 180 yards, 4th. Time, 4.34 3-5.

THE OAR.

The first of the crews which are to take part in the big regatta here this week will arrive to-morrow. The Seattles and one of the Vancouver crews are expected to arrive first and the others will follow in short order. The crews will, on arrival, continue their practice on the course upon which they must win or lose. Quarters have been secured, and by Wednesday the quiet village of Esquimalt will be a point of interest to everyone who knows an oar at sight. There is always something fascinating in the very air which athletes breathe before a race. The "knowing one" is aboard and distributes his tips and hints, either mysteriously to hearers one at a time or in orations to little crowds. Anxious eyes watch the strokes of each crew as they skim over the course, and speculation is rife. The coach is king and he rules with the will of a czar. Interest spreads like an epidemic, and the very courts of the land must not arrange their sittings to interfere with the event. Victoria will be strongly represented, and the theory is held over at the James Bay club house that Stroke Sullivan, of the seniors, will have an excellent view of the nearest bow to him at the finish. The juniors too are showing good form. They are a sturdy, solid lot of boys and have no end of staying power.

Entries close to-night, but it is understood that all who are to compete have already entered. There will be ample provision for transportation, with special services on the E. & N. railway and the tram line and the excursion on the Islander.

LAWN TENNIS.

CANADIAN TOURNAMENT.

Queen's Royal, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont., July 15.—There was some grand play in the championship events of the Canadian tennis tournament to-day. Larned, Middle states champion, defeated Matthews, of Toronto, holder of the Canadian championship cup, in three straight sets, thereby taking the cup from him. Matthews labored under a serious disadvantage from a sprained wrist and consequently lack of form. Handicap singles, final round, Fritzward of Rochester beat Arthur Taylor of New York, 6-4, 6-0, 6-3. Ladies' singles championship, Mrs. Sydney Smith, Ottawa, beat Miss Maude Osborn, Sutton, Ont., 3-6; 6-3; 6-3.

YACHTING.

AILSA LAID UP.

Largs, Scotland, July 15.—The Ailsa did not start in the regatta to-day of the Royal Largs Yacht Club. She was towed to Gourock, where it is reported she will be laid up. The Britannia sailed over the course alone. In the race for the 20 raters the Niagara beat the Eucharist and Dakotah.

Newport, R. I., July 15.—The Defender went out to-day for a short spin. She will sail for Bristol this afternoon.

Mr. E. Mallandaine, Jr., has been elected secretary of the Victoria Yacht Club, vice Mr. G. Shedden, resigned.

BASEBALL.

THURSDAY'S LEAGUE GAME.

The Amities play their second league game in the British Columbia schedule on Thursday afternoon against the Vancouver nine. The match will commence at 5 p.m., so as to give an opportunity for all to attend. The Vancouver team has been playing splendid ball of late, defeating Whatcom and Westminster with ease, and a close and exciting contest may be expected when they meet the local nine on Thursday. Donovan, Vancouver's crack twirler, will be in the box, and those who have seen him say his work is of the phenomenal order. The Amity batters will have a contract on hand finding him. Huxtable may be in condition for the game, although he has had little practice since last match. Franklin is turning ut regularly and is in as good shape as ever. Scott and Jackson are showing up well in the diamond.

At Vancouver on Saturday Nanaimo won from Vancouver by 12 to 10.

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THE BRITISH ELECTIONS.

Continued from Page 1.

Lieut.-General Sir P. W. Fitzygram, Bart.

Hertfordshire West or Watford division, Thomas Frederick Halsey.

Edinburgh and St. Andrew's University, J. Peterson, Q. C.

The Unionist candidate for the old division of Down was also returned.

The returns thus far received show the election of 105 Conservatives, 16 Unionists, 11 Liberals, 4 Parnellites and 3 McCarthyites.

For the Tullamore division of King's county, Joseph F. Fox, anti-Parnellite home ruler, was returned without opposition. For the West division of Kerry, Sir T. H. G. Esmonde, anti-Parnellite home ruler, was returned without opposition. In the Middle division of Armagh, Dunbar T. Barton, Conservative, was returned without opposition. Polling is taking place to-day for 66 seats in the parliament just dissolved. Of these 28 were held by Liberals and 33 by Conservatives. This includes boroughs of every kind and in all parts of the country. Mr. Henry M. Stanley, the distinguished African explorer, and Mrs. Stanley are making an active canvass of Lambeth, for which seat Mr. Stanley is the Unionist candidate. Probably Mr. C. H. Trevelyan, the Liberal candidate, will be returned for this division. Mr. John Burns, the labor leader, and present member, is making a lively campaign for re-election in the Battersea division of London.

Among those returned unopposed are Mr. A. H. Dyke-Ackland, Liberal, for the Rotherham division of Yorkshire West riding, and Mr. T. B. Curran, anti-Parnellite, for the north division of Donegal.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

Day's Doings in the Various States of the Republic.

Ishpeming, Mich., July 15.—The miners of Ishpeming and Negaune held a mass meeting to-day at Union park, midway between the two cities, and decided to strike for increased wages. Delegations of striking miners, headed by brass bands, visited various mines to influence the men. Five thousand men will be out by night and the strike may spread to other districts.

Boston, Mass., July 15.—District Assembly, No. 30 Knights of Labor, which includes in its jurisdiction the entire state, has been suspended from all privileges by General Secretary Hayes. The suspension is for insubordination in admitting to its privileges State Master Workman Padden, who some months ago was suspended as the outcome of a controversy with the general boards. A meeting of the assembly will be held to-morrow evening and some predict its withdrawal from the order.

Portland, Ogn., July 15.—J. H. Bellinger to-day ordered a decree of foreclosure in the case of the American Loan and Trust Co. against the Oregon Short Line and Utah Northern railway company.

—Trout flies, rods, etc., at Fox's.

—A barkentine with her top-mast carried away passed Otter Point at 9:30 this morning. She was loaded and in tow.

THE TURF.

SARATOGA SEASON.

Saratoga, N. Y., July 15.—The Saratoga racing association will on Saturday next begin its summer meeting. The management announces that it expects to run 40 days, ending September 7.

THE RIFLE.

THE QUEEN'S PRIZE.

London, July 15.—At the first range, 200 yards, the Canadian score stands: Bent, 31; Skedden, 31; Russell, 31; Nutting, 30; Rolston, 30; Chamberlain, 30; Armstrong, 30; Hayhurst, 30; Spearing, 30; Fink, 30; Mercier, 29; Meadows, 29; Wynne, 29; Boville, 28; Morris, 28; Mitchell, 28. The highest scores in this event were made by Thompson, of Edinburgh, and Penwick, of Perth, each making 34 points.

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DIED.

GIBSON—In this city, on the 14th instant, Mary, the beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson, aged 18 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) at 9:45 a.m. from the family residence, 101 Cormorant street, and at the Roman Catholic Cathedral at 10 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

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Will be held in Sir William Wallace Stacey's hall, Broad street, on SATURDAY, the 20th inst., at 8 o'clock p.m.

BUSINESS:

Receiving the financial statements of the Secretary and Treasurer, the dispatch of such business as may come before the meeting and conducting the 51st Drawing for an Appropriation. See that your shares are not in arrears.

By order,

R. WILLIAMS, Secretary.